STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS BOARD OF EXAMINATION AND REGISTRATION OF ARCHITECTS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Examination and Registration of Architects (the "Board") has under consideration proposed revised Rules and Regulations. These proposed regulations are promulgated in accordance with Chapter 5-1 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, and are established for the purpose of describing the practices and procedures of the Board.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 42-35 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, that a public hearing on the above proposed rules and regulations shall be held on May 16, 2007 at 4:00 PM at Conference Room B, 2nd Floor, of the William E. Powers Building, (Department of Administration Building), One Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island, at which time and place all persons interested will be heard.

Copies of the proposed regulations are available for public inspection at the Board, One Capitol Hill, 2nd Floor, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, or by sending an email to: dawneb@mail.state.ri.us Copies may also be viewed at the Board's website at http://www.bdp.ri.gov.

For the sake of accuracy, it is requested that statements made relating to any aspect of the regulations, including alternative approaches, overlap, or significant economic impact, be submitted in writing at the time of the hearing or mailed prior to the hearing date to: James R. Carlson, NCARB, AIA, Secretary, at One Capitol Hill 2nd Floor, Providence, Rhode Island 02908-5097. Oral statements at the hearing will be considered but should be limited to five minutes each.

The William E. Powers Building is accessible to individuals with disabilities. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must call (401) 222-6287 (TDD machine only) forty-eight (48) hours in advance of the hearing date.

Dana M. Newbrook, NCARB, AIA, Chair